

# GREEKS SAY NAZIS ARE HELD

## Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

ALEX. H. WASHBURN

### Going to Write a Book?

#### There's Not Much Money in It

William Feather, writing in the Imperial Type Metal Magazine, reports that popular books are going to be brought out at a new low range of prices, 25 to 75c, instead of the usual \$2.50. And this leads him to disclose some intimate figures on the cost of publishing a book and the amount of royalty an average author receives. Writes Mr. Feather:

## \$82.75 Raised to Purchase Soldier Gifts

### Easter Goodies to Be Sent to Local Boys at Camp Robinson

The American Legion announced Tuesday that Hope and Hempstead citizens had donated \$82.75 toward the purchase of cigarettes and gifts for the local youths in military service at Camp Robinson, Little Rock.

The cigarettes and gifts, along with cakes, cookies and candy will be sent to the soldiers at Camp Robinson Easter morning.

Those who wish to donate or bake cakes and cookies are asked to get in touch with the following:

Mrs. M. M. McCoughan, phone 587-W.  
Mrs. E. S. Franklin, phone 860.  
Mrs. Malcolm Porterfield, phone 688.  
Mrs. H. O. Kyler, phone 458.  
Mrs. W. T. Smith, phone 43-J.  
Mrs. Calvin Cassidy, phone 146.  
Linus Walker, chairman of the "smokes" committee for the American Legion, said:

"We know by experience that soldiers boys love 'smokes.' We want every Hempstead county boy to know his home people are thinking of him. Here is the way for us to do it. Let each and every interested person give \$1 for 'smokes' for our boys."

The Legion committee to get the "smokes" money is as follows: Cecil Weaver, Ched Hall, Robert Wilson, W. T. Smith, Ben Edmonston, H. O. Kyler, Judge Fred Luck.

The local Girl Scout troops are to assist in making the candy.

Donations Follow:  
Henry Haines ..... 50  
Gus Haynes ..... 50  
Cash ..... 25  
John Ridgill ..... 25  
Robert La Grone ..... 50  
W. D. Steffy ..... 1.00  
J. D. Barlow ..... 50  
Bob Elmore ..... 50  
H. H. Copeland ..... 50  
Cash ..... 50

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## Annual Sunrise Service Sunday

### All Local Churches to Participate in Meet

The Fifth Annual Community Sunrise Service will be held as usual this year at Hope High School. A large attendance from Hope and adjacent communities is expected at 6:30 Sunday morning.

The services will be held in the athletic stadium unless inclement weather necessitates moving into the auditorium. Various pastors of the city will participate on the program. The Rev. Thomas Brewster will deliver the Easter message.

Roy Anderson, general chairman of the Laymen's committee is perfecting his organization which will be announced later and this year's service is expected to surpass in interest and attendance all previous sunrise services which have been held in this community.

## COTTON

By the Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS				
	Open	High	Low	Close
May	11.19	11.20	11.18	11.19
July	11.26	11.26	11.13	11.16
Oct.	11.21	11.21	11.07	11.09
Dec.	11.15	11.18	11.07	11.08
Jan.	11.15			11.05
March	11.15	11.17	11.10	11.08

NEW YORK				
	Open	High	Low	Close
May	11.23	11.26	11.15	11.15
July	11.19	11.22	11.09	11.22
Oct.	11.10	11.14	11.02	11.04
Dec.	11.10	11.13	11.02	11.04
Jan.	11.08	11.08	11.03	11.02
March	11.10	11.14	11.02	11.03
Middling Spot	11.39			

## Contest Case Recessed to Check Ballots

### Variation in Signatures Studied in Wilson-Luck Contest

Names of challenged voters were rechecked and testimony from one witness was heard Tuesday as the Hempstead county judge election contest case between Fred A. Luck, incumbent, and John L. Wilson, contestant, entered its second day in Hempstead circuit court.

Many ballots were re-checked to determine which ones would have to be checked with the signed ballots. Many were believed to have been signed one way on the ballots while the official poll tax list listed them another way. Others showed that initials were used in one place while a part or full name was used in another.

The court ruled that the identity of these voters must be proven before they could be proven as illegal voters.

T. E. Dawson, commanding officer of the Alton CCC Camp, the only witness heard during the day, testified in regard to the whereabouts of a number of CCC enrollees who voted in the election. His testimony showed that a number of the enrollees had already been discharged from the camp.

The court was adjourned Tuesday until Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock to give attorneys Tuesday afternoon to check on the identity of the voters in question.

## U. S. Official Sent to London

### James Forrestal Liaison Man for Two Navies

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Secretary Knox announced Tuesday that James Forrestal, undersecretary of the navy, was leaving for England for a visit of about two weeks "to establish a close liaison between the Navy Department and the British admiralty on matters arising under the lease-lend program."

Knox said the department was handling purchases of material in this country for the British navy under the lend-lease program and also would undertake repairs to British war vessels.

"Efforts are being made as rapidly as possible to establish a suitable uniformity in naval equipment," he said in a statement, adding that the purpose was to expedite purchases and repairs.

Forrestal is the latest of a growing number of government officials and other representatives of the administration to undertake personal missions to England.

## 'Fellow Students'

PERU, Neb. — (AP) — President W. R. Rife of Peru State Teachers College couldn't let his students get ahead of him. So he became one of the ten students in an air-plane flight training course at the college.

## New German Protest on Ship Seizure

### But Secretary Hull Declines to Give Out Text of Message

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Secretary Hull said Tuesday Germany had sent a new note reinforcing its protest over the seizure of German merchant ships and crews in the U. S.

Hull declined to give the nature of the new communication except to say that it was connected with the seizure of the ships.

From other sources, however, it was learned that the new note supplied supporting data on German claims that the U. S. had violated international law and the treaty of friendship and commerce between the two countries.

At the same time the note was said to have told the Secretary of State that his note rejecting previous Nazi protests had failed to make clear the legal basis for prosecution of German crew members.

## Church Movies to Be Shown

### Pictures on 'Holy City' at Baptist Church

Public announcement is being made of the first showing in Hope of the Rev. William R. Hamilton's motion pictures of Jerusalem, "The Holy City." These pictures will be shown for the benefit of the public at First Baptist Church Thursday and Friday nights at 8 p. m.

As a spiritual preparation for Easter and an intellectual appreciation of what Christ's resurrection means to the world, First Baptist Church invites the general public to attend a showing of authentic pictures of the places connected with the Lord's death and resurrection.

These pictures have been acclaimed wherever shown as the best of Mr. Hamilton's travel pictures. The public is cordially invited to see them. No offering will be taken.

## Italians, Nazis Reoccupy Derna

### Retake Territory 175 Miles East of Bengasi

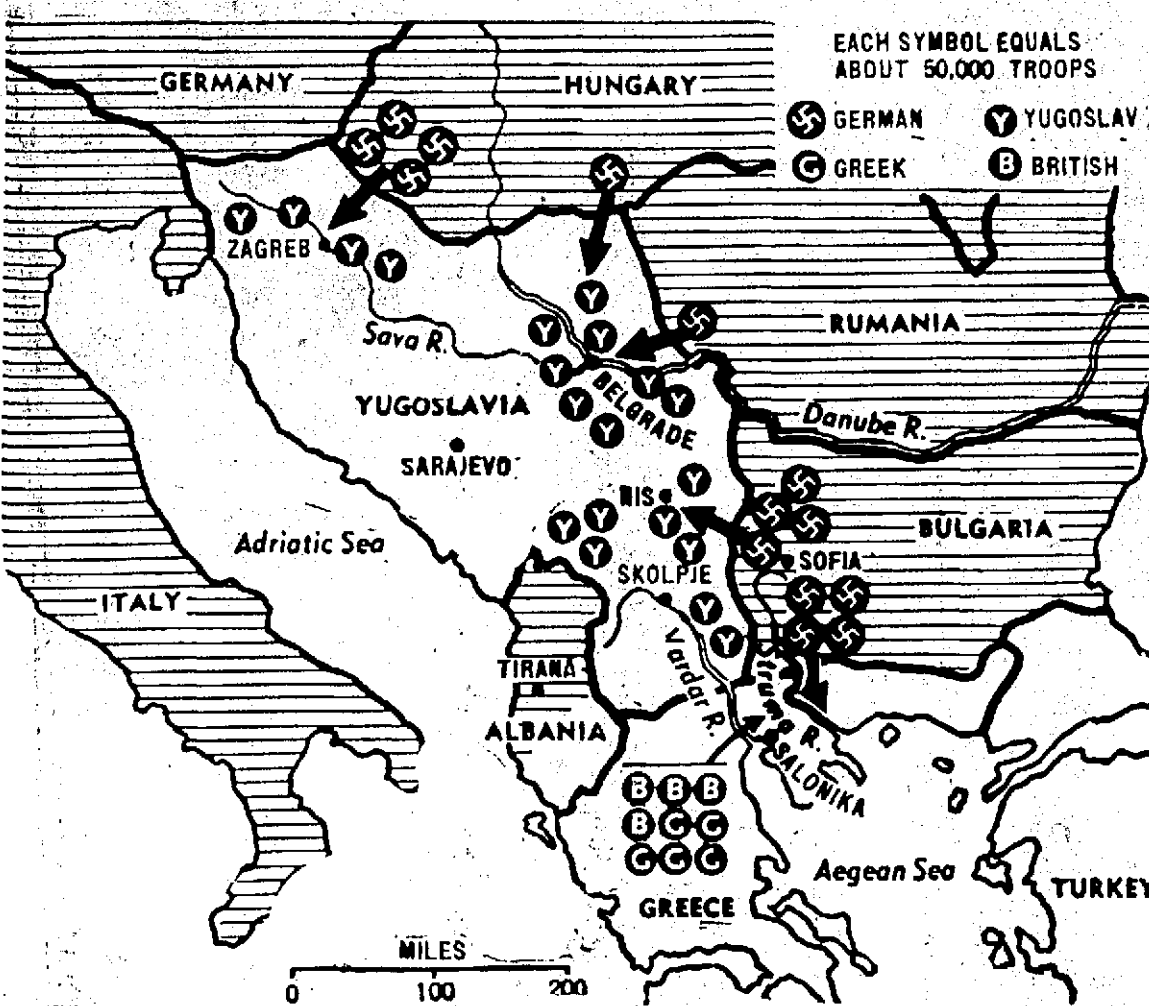
ROME — (AP) — An official announcement said Italian and German troops had occupied the Libyan port of Derna.

Derna is approximately 175 miles east of Bengasi, from which the British withdrew last week. A deep water port, it had been held by the British since January 30.

The town is of strategic importance because it possesses large fresh water supplies vital to desert fighting.

The first American motion picture feature was produced in 1903.

## How German Troops are Distributed in the New War Against the Balkans



With Axis-dominated territory shaded with horizontal lines and including 300,000 Italian troops in northern Albania opposing 150,000 Greeks, this late war map gives an excellent picture of the situation as Germany stages new "blitz."

NEA Service Telephoto

## Football Game Here Thursday

### Contest to Feature End of Spring Practice

The practice football game which features the spring grid training that has been in progress for the past two weeks will be held at the high school stadium Thursday night, Coach Roy Hammans announced Tuesday. The game was originally scheduled for Friday night.

A small admission will be charged with funds going to purchase honor sweaters for the basketball letter-men.

## Pentecost Revival Opens With Success

The first meeting of the First Pentecostal revival here met with much success, the Rev. W. P. Graves, pastor of the church, announced Tuesday.

The services are being conducted by Evangelist Bethal Jones of Camden, Tenn., who is famed as a singer and speaker. The public is invited to the night meetings.

## Self-Protection?

CHARLESTON, S. C. — (AP) — Sign in a Charleston business establishment: "No gambling—must not interfere with work."

## Americans in Yugoslavia Safe

### Hull Finally Hears From American Minister There

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Secretary Hull said Tuesday the State Department had received a message by indirect means from Arthur Lane, the U. S. Minister to Yugoslavia, reporting that all Americans in Yugoslavia were believed to have been safe as late as Sunday night.

The message, the first to be received from Lane since the Germans began their invasion, said the minister was endeavoring to follow the Yugoslav government, indicating that the government had left Belgrade for an undisclosed temporary capital.

## Hope Man Escapes Injury in Accident

Lloyd Collier, of Hope, driver for the Hope Brick Works, escaped possible injury Tuesday morning when the truck which he was driving over turned on highway 67 about 6 miles north of Prescott.

Collier was not hurt. The truck was badly damaged.

## First U. S. Postmistress

Miss Elizabeth Balfour was the first postmistress in the United States. She was appointed by President George Washington in 1796, as head of the postoffice at Salisbury, N. C.

## Naval Bomber Wreck Found

### No Sign of Life Around Wreckage Off Cape Charles

NORFOLK, Va. — (AP) — A wrecked naval bomber was sighted off Cape Charles, Va., by searchers for a big naval patrol craft which has been missing since Monday with 10 men aboard.

Naval authorities here said that it was the missing ship.

Hope that the plane and its men were safe was felt for a time on the basis of reports from Navy and coast guard sources in Washington and New York that a ship resembling the missing craft was seen operating safely in New Jersey waters. Later the Atlantic City coast guard station identified this plane as one of those searching for the bomber.

The Cape Charles wreckage was sighted from a Navy plane.

Coast guard headquarters here said that one of their lifeboats equipped with a two-way radio had reached the scene of the wreckage and had reported that no sign of life was visible in the area.

One American company produced 324,850,921 pounds of copper during 1939.

## Bulletins

BERLIN — (AP) — Switzerland was warned Tuesday by Karl Megerle, German commentator who often voices the opinion of Nazi officials, to take note of what has happened to Yugoslavia.

He called attention to the inner unrest in Yugoslavia which, he said, "sabotaged a general policy of common sense."

Attention was directed to a recent item in Switzerland newspapers which praised the honor of the Yugoslav nation.

LONDON — (AP) — British bombers, carrying the heaviest load ever dropped on Germany in a single night, made Monday night attacks on Kiel, the air ministry announced Tuesday night.

Hundreds of explosives and 30,000 incendiary bombs were rained on the German port and submarine yards in a five-hour attack it was announced.

BUDAPEST — (AP) — Unconfirmed reports here Tuesday said that the Germans had occupied Nis, Yugoslav town on the Sofia-Belgrade railway.

WASHINGTON — (AP) — President Roosevelt Tuesday cabled King Peter of Yugoslavia assurance of all material assistance possible and an "earnest hope for successful resistance to the criminal assault upon the Balkan nations."

The cable in part said: "The people of the United States are shocked by the unprovoked and ruthless aggression upon Yugoslavia."

## Claim Success in Battle of Struma Valley

### Yugoslavs Push on Into Albania, Capturing Town, to Join Greeks

By the Associated Press

A violent battle between German and Greek troops in the hills around Nevrokopi in northern Greece was reported Tuesday to have turned in favor of the Greeks—and even Hitler's high command acknowledged "tough resistance" in the twin Balkan offensives.

The Nazi high command asserted, however, that both campaigns were "progressing effectively."

Belgrade was fire-bombed a fifth time by the German Luftwaffe.

Athens dispatches said the Greeks were holding fast at Rupel pass against German armored columns attempting to smash their way to the vital Struma river valley.

Greek front line dispatches told of ravines littered with German slain smashed tanks and armored cars.

In one valley it was said the Greeks let the Germans advance without opposition and then cut loose with heavy artillery and machine gun fire from the forest and from pillboxes hidden on the hill sides.

The Greeks, however, suffered a serious blow in the reported withdrawal of Yugoslav troops from the Balkan "hot corner," thus exposing the Greek left flank, while on the right flank a Nazi panzer column knifed 50 miles south to the Aegean sea between Greece and Turkey.

The sudden departure of the Yugoslav troops—in southern Yugoslavia near the Greek and Bulgarian frontiers—was not explained.

Reveals New Danger  
Military observers said a general Yugoslav withdrawal from that sector would permit the Germans to plunge down the broad Vardar river valley, key route to Greece.

The Greek high command acknowledged the withdrawal of "weak screening forces" from eastern Thrace, along Greece's frontier with Turkey, permitting Nazi panzer columns to smash through to the Aegean.

The high command said the withdrawal was carried out "to avoid useless sacrifice because Eastern Thrace was untenable."

Germans Advancing  
BERLIN — (AP) — Germans claimed Tuesday their troops from Bulgaria to Rumania had advanced to Skopje, important industrial and military center in southern Yugoslavia, about 110 miles northwest of Salonika.

The city commands the strategically vital Vardar river valley.

The Germans said they were advancing at the rate of 28 miles a day. The German air forces, which assisted the ground troops in taking the Serbian border and bunker fortifications, military circles said later turned their attention to the hinterland.

Bombers "harassed a widely-meshed rail network, derailing and destroying freight trains, blasting freight trains, and toppling railroad bridges," it was stated.

Slavs Advance in Albania  
BERNE, Switzerland — (AP) — Advice received by the Yugoslav legation here Tuesday said that Yugoslav forces had captured Scutari, Albania. Reports received by telephone from the Yugoslav government's new headquarters at Vranje in the Serbian mountains also said the Italian town of Zera on the Dalmatian coast had fallen to the Yugoslav army. Advances said Yugoslav troops were smashing farther south into Albania after capturing Scutari in an attempt to cooperate with the Greeks in squeezing the Italians out of Albania.

Italians in Danger  
ISTANBUL, Turkey — (AP) — The An-

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## CRANIUM CRACKERS

Civic Districts  
Every big city has some district or area for which it is well known. Take an armchair tour of the world and tell in which cities you would find the following places.

1. The Bowery.
2. The French Quarter.
3. Chinatown.
4. The Loop.
5. Trafalgar Square.

Answers on Comic Page

## Part of the Crowd of 300 Farmers and Business Men Who Joined Alton CCC Camp in Its Eighth Anniversary Party



Here's a view of one end of the mess hall at Alton CCC camp when 300 Hempstead county farmers and Hope business men sat down at a banquet celebrating the camp's eighth anniversary Friday, April 4.



# Local Kiwanis Club Meets

## Senator James Pilkinton Is Principal Speaker

Senator James H. Pilkinton addressed the Kiwanis Club at its weekly noon meeting at Hotel Barlow Tuesday.

Reviewing the acts of the recent General Assembly with respect to revenue and taxation, Senator Pilkinton said that the 1941 Legislature tried to solve the state's revenue problem by strengthening existing tax laws rather than levying any new taxes. As a result, no new tax was adopted, but two existing levies were revised to broaden their scope, he stated.

Senator Pilkinton said that the two existing taxes which were revised by the Legislature were the corporation income tax and the sales tax and that these two revisions were the chief



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revenue work of the recent assembly.

Almost every member of the club was present at Tuesday's meeting. Guests included Jesse Barr of El Paso, Texas; Joe Clements, Texarkana, L. J. Brown, Prescott, R. P. Bowen, Tom Wardlow, and Luther Holloman, all of Hope.

# City Court Is Heard Monday

## Judge W. K. Lemley Presides Over Session

Only city cases were heard in municipal court at city hall Monday due to the circuit court session now in progress at the Hempstead county courthouse.

Judge W. K. Lemley heard the following cases:

A. D. Finley, blocking an alley. Forfeited \$1 cash bond.

Mitchell Wyatt, drunkenness. Forfeited \$10 cash bond.

Willie Patterson, drunkenness. Forfeited \$10 cash bond.

Mack McElroy, drunkenness. Plea of guilty, fine \$10.

Allen Williams, drunkenness. Plea of guilty, fine \$10.

Cheslie Wyatt, drunkenness. Plea of guilty, fine \$10.

Clara Mae Saunders, drunkenness. Plea of guilty, fine \$10.

Roy Dyer, drunkenness. Plea of guilty, fine \$10.

Tom Taylor, drunkenness. Plea of guilty, fine \$10.

Lex Jones, drunkenness. Plea of guilty, fine \$10.

# Special Service at Tabernacle

## Three Nights to Feature Revival Meet Here

The third and final week of the Hope Gospel Tabernacle revival meeting will be featured by three special services, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights.

Wednesday nights program will be arranged and directed by the Tabernacle Choir's Ambassadors (young people). Special singing and music will play an important part in this service, and Evangelist Wm. F. McPherson will preach the sermon.

"Mother's Night," is the feature in the Thursday night service, and "Men's Night," is the program for the Friday night meeting. The well known Sutton Quartet will sing during the Friday night men's meeting. All these services are open to the general public, and none of them are for men or women only, Pastor J. E. Hamill announced.

# Claim Success

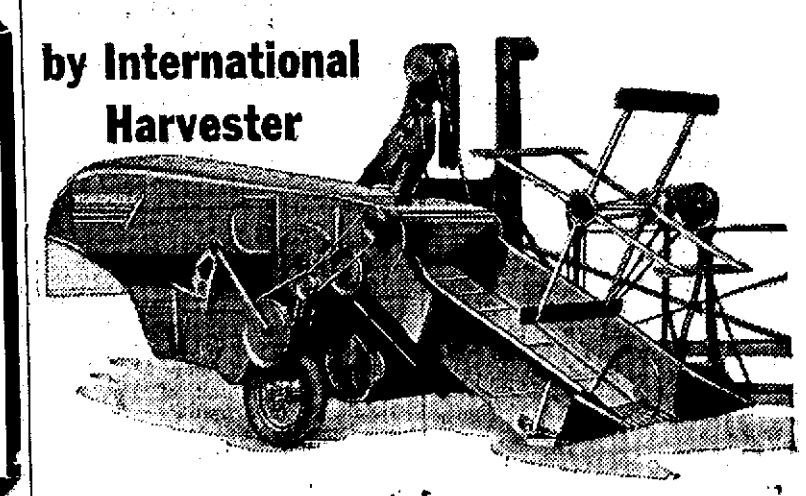
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kara radio said the Germans had lost heavily in their first attacks on Greek and Yugoslav lines.

If the Yugoslavs and Greeks establish contact in Albania, Italy will be unable to "save 10 per cent of her troops there," it added.

The Turkish cabinet met for three and a half hours Monday. Foreign Minister Saracoglu was said to have

# Streamline the Harvest with the NEW 4-FOOT COMBINE



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# Meet Pancho Villa's Daughter



Pancho Villa, storied Mexican desperado, had a daughter—and here she is, singing in a Baltimore night club. Senorita Celia Villa soon goes to Hollywood to appear in a movie based on her father's life.

received the Greek and Yugoslav envoys to Turkey.

**Greeks Hold Fast**  
ATHENS (AP)—The Greeks were reported Tuesday to be holding firm at Ruppel pass through which another German armored column was trying to penetrate to the Struma river valley.

This attempt, dispatches from the front said, and other thrusts farther eastward, along the Greek-Bulgarian frontier met terrific resistance which has already cost the Germans heavy losses and men and material.

A German effort to cut communications behind the Greek lines by using parachutists failed, an announcement said, and 130 parachutists were captured and others killed.

The Greek general staff communique said Yugoslav troops fighting in southern Serbia had withdrawn, exposing the left flank of the Greeks, who, however, were "defending the fatherland inch by inch."

**"Death Battalion"**  
The Greeks have a death battalion meeting the brunt of the Nazi attack, one newspaper said, formed of volunteers for service in outposts. Every man, the paper said, was highly qualified for the work of defending the positions to the last moment to cover the withdrawal of the main forces. After that, the paper said, their job was to blow up all communications and bridges before falling back.

The paper related one group of 150 held back a German force 20 times as large for 36 hours.

Greek correspondents returning from Yugoslavia brought only fragmentary accounts of the war. They said terrific air battles were being waged over Skopje and other cities and that Yugoslav troops were fighting

valiantly against superior German forces.

Apparently Yugoslavia was getting the heaviest fighting since the battle of France.

The U. S. legation at Athens has been unable to communicate with the legation at Belgrade since Sunday.

(The extent of the menace to the Greek left flank—hinged at the juncture of the Greek, Bulgarian and Yugoslav frontiers—was not explained immediately.)

The Greeks earlier acknowledged the loss of two border forts in the Struma valley and evacuation of western Thrace but said the main Struma defenses were unbroken.

**Nazis Admit Trouble**  
BERLIN (AP)—Germany's offensive on the Greek and Yugoslav fronts is being kept up under adverse conditions in the air and on the ground, the high command reported Tuesday.

"Despite numerous terrain difficulties and destruction of roads German troops against the Serbian and Greek fronts against tough enemy resistance was effectively continued, the daily war bulletin said.

"Despite unfavorable weather, the air force Monday made rolling attacks on military objectives and Belgrade fortifications, dropping incendiaries and explosives."

Sixty-three opposing planes were listed as destroyed in Monday's operations—20 in air fights over Yugoslavia, 34 on the ground, five in air fights with British planes, and four by anti-aircraft fire on the Western front.

"Germany will have to issue a formal invitation for the British to fight in the southeast," said a German spokesman. "Our army there is looking for them but has not encountered the British so far."

New damage to Belgrade's main railroad station by the Luftwaffe's repeated air assaults was claimed by the communique, as well as direct hits on transport and fuel strains and heavy damage to railroad bridges, stations and tracks along the Sava river.

# \$82.75 Raised

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B. L. Todder	50
B. C. Lewis	50
M. C. Methvin	1.00
Claud Stuart	50
S. L. Jackson	50
Tex Meryman	50
E. F. McFaddin	1.00
J. H. Wray	50
Hempstead County Lbr. Co.	2.00
R. D. Franklin	1.00
A. W. Stubbeman	1.00
Cecil W. Dennis	50
Joe Black	2.00
Ritchie Gro. Co.	50
Frank Walters	50
R. O. Crain	1.00
Cash	50
N. T. Jewell	1.00
Duffie Hdw. Co.	1.00
S. B. Anderson	25
C. F. Cassidy	50
Citizens Nat. Bank	1.00
Dale Jones	25
Olin Lewis	25
Raymond Jones	25
Nallon Wylie	50
Cash	50
George W. Keith	1.00
O. L. Reed	20
Ray Cumbie	25
Low Sanders	25
Dr. A. L. Hardage	50
Fat Cassie	25
E. O. Wingfield	50
Hope Furniture Co.	1.00
City Bakery	1.00
Western Auto	50
Roy Anderson & Co.	1.00
A. D. Middlebrooks	1.00
Vincent Foster	1.00
Mrs. G. B. Morris	1.00
Mrs. Boswell	50
Miss Maud Hamilton	1.00
Charles A. Haynes Co.	1.00
Houston Electric Shop	1.00
R. T. White & Co.	1.00
F. H. Jones	1.00
Miss Cullie Wesson	50
J. E. Allen	50
Jack's News Stand	1.00
Mrs. C. W. Keen	50
L. N. Garner	50
Whitten - York	1.00
Miss Ruth Polk	25
Ben Southward	50
Hope Transfer Co.	50

# Shortage of Electricity

## Many Thousands of Kilowatts Needed for Defense

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Hugh Hall	1.00
Royce Smith	50
A. E. Stonequist	50
Stewart Gro. Co.	1.00
Cash	25
J. C. Hull	1.00
E. S. Greening	1.00
E. M. McWilliams	1.00
J. L. Green	1.00
E. P. Stewart	50
F. Y. Trimble	50
Roy Stephenson	1.00
Syl McMath	1.00
Dyron Evans	50
Mrs. R. L. Gosnell	50
L. L. Gosnell	1.00
Capital Hotel	1.00
Cash	50
Tom Kinser	50
E. L. Dudley	1.00
Henry Watkins	1.00
W. P. Singleton	1.00
Charles Rodgers	25
S. L. Murphy	50
John S. Gibson Drug Co.	1.00
White & Co.	1.00
New York Store	50
Ward & Son	1.00
Scott's Store	1.00
Hitt's Shoe Store	50
E. P. O'Neal	75
Talbots	1.00
Crutcher's Store	50
Robison's	1.00
John P. Cox	50
Cash	50
Diamond Cafe	1.00
Martin Pool	1.00
L. Holloman Jr.	1.00
Briant Drug Co.	1.00
Herald Porterfield	25
B. R. Hamm	1.00
Allen Ship	50
F. V. Haynie	1.00
W. M. Ramsey	1.00
Scott Stores	1.00
Total	\$82.75

been hearing about for years, you may be as shocked as I was to know that the Federal Power Commission is talking about a shortage of electricity.

It is potential—not imminent even in the areas where the drain has been greatest—but it is going to take some kilowatt juggling to avoid it. Unless the power production program is stepped up to top speed in the danger zones, says the commission, there may be—within two years or sooner, when national defense swings toward maximum capacity—blackouts of whole cities. Remember the "lightless nights" of the World War?

The last complete national report on the situation was made the first of the year, but the power commission says the situation is getting worse, not better. Here's what the commission has to say:

"In about half of the supply areas, there is installed or scheduled for operation this year sufficient capacity to supply anticipated demands. In other areas, it appears that anticipated demands can be met by encroaching on reserves or by additional capacity made available through interconnections with systems in adjacent areas."

"In nine important war material areas, the demand was 53 per cent more (in December) than estimated three months before."

**Shortage Zones**

Listed as potential shortage areas where greatest plans must be made for unexpected power loads: Upstate New York, Georgia-Alabama, Pittsburgh, Virginia, Arkansas-Louisiana, and northern California-Oregon-Nevada.

This kind of talk about the nationwide power situation, private and public, sent me around to see Secretary Harold L. Ickes to find out how his Department of Interior power projects were standing the strain—and I got another jolt.

In 1930, when the power plans for Boulder Dam were being made, the boys looked over the situation and estimated that by 1980, they would need a capacity of 750,000 to 900,000 kilowatts. The installed capacity of Boulder Dam today is 704,800 kilowatts and three more generators are being added to bring capacity immediately to 947,500 kilowatts—and according to the secretary, every watt is needed. In words of one syllable, Boulder Dam is operating 40 years ahead of schedule—schedule laid down just ten years ago by some of the nation's ace power authorities.

The Bureau of Reclamation's 25 power

plants are increasing their generating capacity of about \$12,000 k. w. to 1,042,000 and shooting the jule to development of their program of 40 plants with a capacity of more than 4,000,000 k. w.

**Five-Fold Increase**  
At Bonneville Dam, Interior is already planning to increase the initial capacity five-fold. At Grand Coulee, where first of the three initial "large" generators in the world started putting out pay loads the other day, the initial program has been doubled. At Parker Dam, on the Colorado river, the first generators will be installed by the end of this year, nine years ahead of original plans. And at Shasta Dam in northern California, they are racing to complete the project a year ahead of schedule just to get electricity into the highlines as soon as possible.

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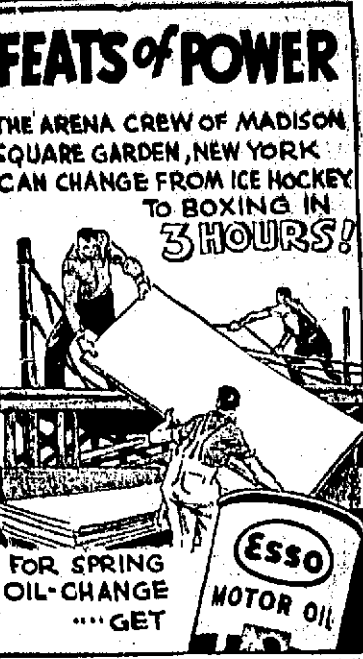
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"No, Edsel Ford."

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"On the left we have Christ Church." A fellow passenger hearing no response from the young woman, tapped her on the shoulder and said: "Go ahead, lady, you can't be wrong all the time."

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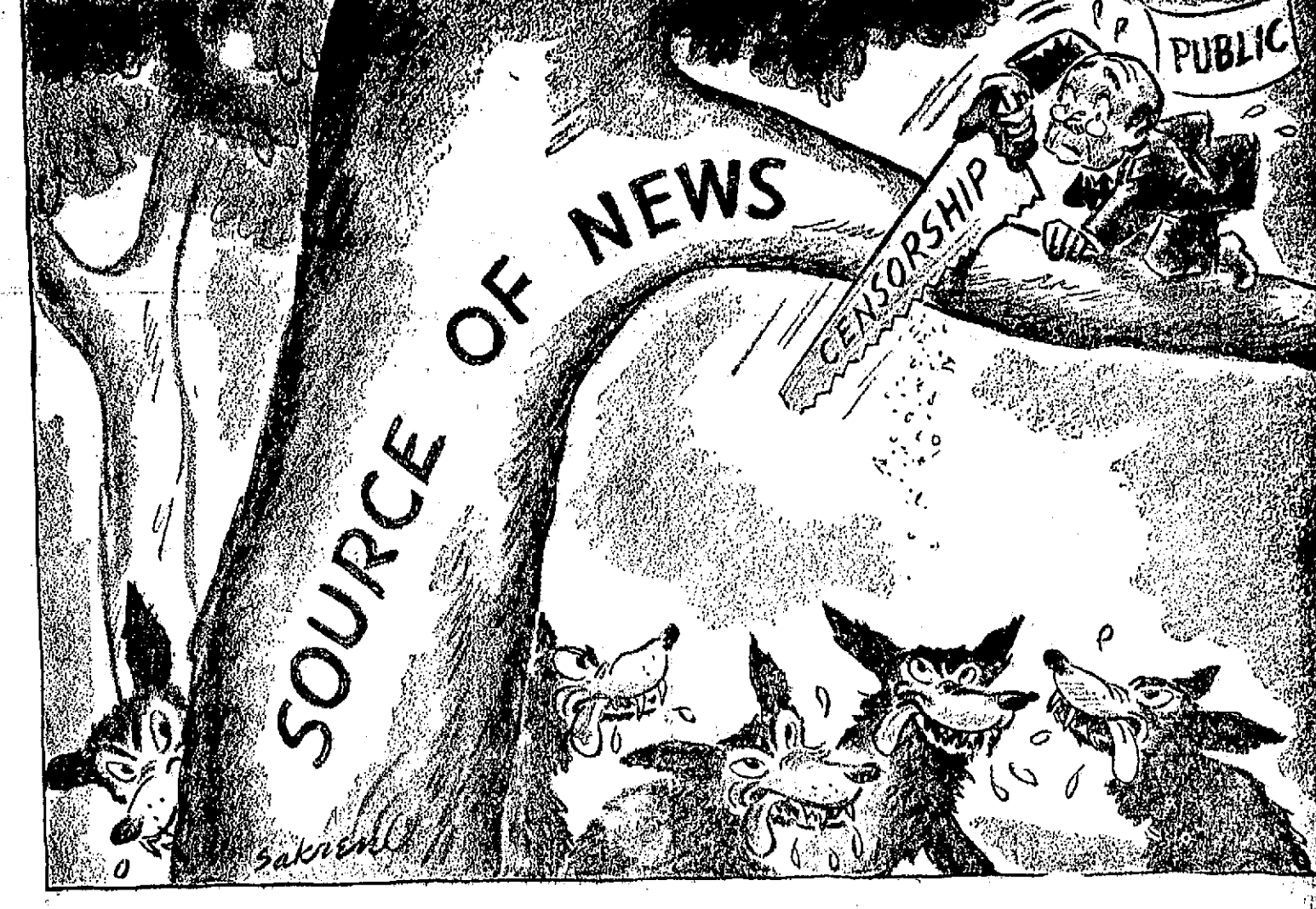
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BY NORMAN CHANDLER, CHAIRMAN, NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS COMMITTEE

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They do not realize the force of the oldest adage in a free man's copy book: "Forewarned is forearmed!" Somehow they fail to see that, in a free country, any man who knows or sees a danger (or, conversely, a way of escape, a hope) is duty-bound to REPORT what he sees.

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# SOCIETY

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## Social Calendar

**Tuesday, April 8th**  
Business and Professional Women's club, dinner meeting at the Barlow, 7 o'clock. Installation of new officers.

Troop No. 2 of the Girl Scouts, meet at the home of the leader, Mrs. J. O. Milam, after school.

The Winsome class of the First Baptist Sunday School, Mrs. L. F. Higgins, teacher, will have the monthly business and social meeting at the home of Mrs. Walter Miller, South Horsey street, 7:45. Mrs. Lawrence Cagle will be associate hostess.

Gleaners class of First Baptist, pot luck supper, the church, 6:45.

Wednesday Contract Bridge club, home of Mrs. Syd McMath, 2:30 o'clock.

**Wednesday, April 9th**  
The John C. G. chapter of the D. A. R. will meet at the Barlow at 12:45 with Mrs. R. E. Cain and Mrs. Emmett Williams of Garland City hostesses. Mrs. Gus Haynes will present the program.

Kappa Neal Hooking Club, home of Mrs. W. R. Herndon, 9:30.

The Hempstead County Home Economics Unit will meet at the home of Mrs. L. D. Springer, 7:30 o'clock.

**Thursday, April 10th**  
The Junior-Senior P. T. A. will meet at the high school at 3:30. An executive meeting will be held at 3 o'clock.

The Azelen Garden club, home of Mrs. Edwin Stewart with Mrs. Nollan Wylie co-hostess, 9:30 o'clock.

**Saturday, April 12th**  
Miss Lulu Garland will be complimented by Mrs. Otis Townsend and Mrs. Mike Thomas at an afternoon bridge at the Townsend home in Enmet, 2:30 o'clock.

## Announcements

Again this year the Brookwood P. T. A. is sponsoring a sale of Easter eggs. The attractively decorated eggs may be obtained for a small price by calling Mrs. Harry Hawthorne (766-W), Mrs.

**RIALTO - Now**  
"MURDER AMONG FRIENDS"  
and  
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REGULAR PRICES!

Enrl O'Neal (701), or Mrs. S. L. Murphy (261).

**Streamlined Almanac at Hempstead County Library**  
Information Please began simply as a radio idea for adult entertainment. It has now become the creator to the tune of a book a year, a movie a month, and a broadcast a week. So comes the 1941 edition of "Information Please."

The radio public has sent in many interesting questions which have been edited by Dan Golenpaul in a quiz book under the name of "Information Please." It contains more than 15000 questions—and the answers to them—have challenged the wit and wisdom of John Kieran, Franklin P. Adams, Oscar Levant, Clifton Fadiman and others. It contains the most astute minds in America. It reproduces the questions and answers on the program in which Wendell Wilkie participated.

Most of the questions and answers in this book derive from the radio program; many of them have never gone over the air waves, and appear for the first time in this book. The 1941 edition of "Information Please" has been placed on the Hempstead County Library shelves.

**Mrs. Hinton Davis Entertains Alma Kyles Society Monday**

The members of the Alma Kyles circle of the W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Hinton Davis on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. F. C. Crow, president of the society, presided at the business session and Mrs. H. O. Kyles gave the facts of the district meeting recently held at Gurdun.

"Investing our Heritage for Christian Education" was the subject of the interesting program brought by Mrs. K. L. Spore and Mrs. Buck Fowers. Spore also brought to the group conditions in China and Europe as discussed at the recent study classes.

During the social hour the hostess served delicious ice cream and cake to the members present.

**Friday Contract Club Entertained by Mrs. Poe**

Members of the Friday Contract Bridge club and several guests were invited to the home of Mrs. Buford Poe Friday afternoon for several exciting games of bridge.

Mrs. R. L. Broach received the high score gift for the guests and Mrs. Lawrence Martin was high for the club members.

Delicious strawberry kisses were served at the conclusion of the games.

**Mrs. Seerest and Mrs. McCullough Have Gift Tea for Recent Bride**  
Mrs. J. W. Seerest and Mrs. James McCullough honored Mrs. Alvin Reynolds, a recent bride, with a gift tea on Tuesday afternoon.

Greeting the guests at the door was Mrs. Seerest, who introduced the guests to the members of the receiving line, headed by Mrs. McCullough.

**Serenade Your LADY**



**TALBOT'S**  
"We Outfit the Family"

lough. Others receiving were Mrs. Reynolds and her mother, Mrs. J. T. Crosby.

Exquisite arrangements of various spring blossoms were noted in the reception room, while only white flowers were used in the dining room, where Miss Ruby Joyce Formby presided at the crystal punch bowl. At one end of the banquet table was an old fashioned bouquet of delicate white flowers.

Miss Myrtle Crosby was in charge of the guest book, which was in the room where the gifts were displayed.

About forty guests called during the appointed hours.

**Mrs. Odell Luck Has Meeting of First Christian Church Society**  
Circle No. 2 of the W. C. M. S. of the First Christian church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Odell Luck with 18 members present. During the business session three new members were added to the roll.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Luck followed by a book review of a Chinese Missionary story given by Mrs. Joe Olmstead.

During the social hour refreshments were served to fifteen members and three guests.

The meeting was closed by repeating the Missionary benediction in unison.

**Seventeen Members at Guild Meeting**

Mrs. Syd McMath and Mrs. R. L. Broach were hostesses to the members of the Wesleyan Guild of the First Methodist church at the home of the former on Monday night.

The president, Mrs. Hendrix Spragins was in charge of the business session. At that time it was announced by Mrs. Joe Black, captain of a losing side in a recent contest, that the winners would be entertained at a party at the home of Mrs. McMath on Monday night.

The meditation was given by Miss Elizabeth Hendrix, who also presented the program. Mrs. R. E. Jackson was the principal speaker talking on the work of her brother, Dr. Manton Wilson, in a Korean Leper colony.

Ice cream and cake were served to the seventeen members present by the hostesses.

**Y. W. A. Girls Make Final Plans for Hot Springs Trip**

The monthly social meeting of the Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church was held Monday night at the church.

Following a delicious supper, the business meeting was opened. At this time final plans were made for sending 15 delegates to the Y. W. A. state banquet in Hot Springs on Tuesday night.

**Circle No. 4 of the W. S. C. S. Has Interesting Meeting**

Members of Circle No. 4 of the Women's Society for Christian Service met at the home of Mrs. Lea Tedford on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Don Smith was the associate hostess.

Mrs. A. M. Rettig, the circle leader, opened the meeting with the call to worship from the year book. Mrs. R. D. Franklin followed with a helpful devotional. She used an Easter message as her theme and closed with a prayer.

Telling of mission work in China was the part given by Mrs. Charles Harrell. Mrs. D. L. Bush presented interesting facts about the Soong family in China.

After the benediction, a sandwich plate with tea or coffee was served to eleven members and two guests, Mrs. Dolphus Whitten Sr. and Mrs. Joe M. Wright.

**Mrs. Milam and Mrs. Patten Are Circle One Hostesses**

Fourteen members of Circle No. 1 of the W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. A. B. Patten on Monday afternoon for the monthly home meeting. Mrs. J. O. Milam was the associate hostess.

The meditation from the 83rd Psalm was given by Mrs. R. T. White. Mrs. Joe Laseter presented the program. Those participating included Mrs. H. Stuart, who told a charming Easter story, and Mrs. L. A. Keith, who discussed at length the war in China. During the social hour the hostesses served a delicious ice course.

**Personal Mention**

Mrs. T. L. McDonald of Ennis, Texas is the house guest of Dr. and Mrs. L. M. Lile.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Brown and Mrs. Paul H. Jones are Tuesday visitors in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Rettig of this city and Mr. and Mrs. George Christopher of Prescott were among those present at the meeting of the "Dawn Patrol" at Magnolia Sunday morning.

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## SERIAL STORY

# DOLLARS TO DOUGHNUTS

BY EDITH ELLINGTON

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**YESTERDAY:** The news of the Davenport kidnapping delighted Toby, who knew the Davenports, and terrified her. Anthony is strangely silent. He knows he must soon learn the truth. She clings to the happiness of this night, restrains an impulse to confess her real identity.

## WAITING FOR TROUBLE CHAPTER XXV

**BEATRICE** undressed slowly and mechanically, while Toby and Vera still discussed the mysterious kidnapping of the Davenport heiress. Toby even switched on the radio, in the forlorn hope of catching a news broadcast. There was nothing but the Milkman's matinee, and she turned it off unsatisfied.

"Clarence must have gone to Mr. Weeming's office. He must have behaved like a hysterical fool," Beatrice thought. "Mr. Weeming would never have done anything to result in headlines. He'd have handled it quietly, even if he found a ransom note on his desk!"

She wished savagely that she could throttle Clarence. His hot black eyes, the quick, expressive hands came back to her. She thought, "Temperamental jackass!"

Now, now of all times, when she wanted so desperately to be left in the obscurity she had found for herself. . . . Oh, it was too much!

As she got into bed, she realized that Clarence must have been horribly worried. "He really loves me. It was the money at first. But now he does care."

A twinge of pity softened her anger. But the boredom that had driven her to him, the emptiness that had caused her to find excitement in being with him, was gone. She had never loved him. Now he was only a nuisance of a man who had ruined something precious.

She couldn't sleep. There'd be a news broadcast at 6 a. m. Only three hours. . . . She watched the clock, lay down again, closed her eyes, tossed, sat up once more, watched the clock. . . .

At five minutes to 6, she turned the radio on very low.

She thought she heard Toby stirring. She switched the radio off, listened intently. It was only the milkman in the hall. She turned the radio on again.

"And that's the news up to this moment in Europe," she heard. "Here at home the FBI has been asked to investigate the disappearance of a girl who was supposed to be touring South America. Beatrice Huntington Davenport.

It is a monthly social gathering of officers from Arkansas and neighboring states.

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**YES,** it had been Clarence. She got out of bed, paced miserably up and down. What a field day the tabloids would have this morning!

They'd be sure to have other pictures of her. There'd be a picture of her at the \$50,000 debut Toby had resented so much; and perhaps pictures of the Miami Beach house, the Newport place, the Long Island estate Grandfather had donated as a haven for homeless children.

She dressed swiftly. "This is Judgment Day. I might as well face those papers right now."

She bought four. Last night's early edition, the one she'd seen in the subway, was mild by comparison. Here she was, on the front page, in a bathing suit at Nassau, squinting into the sun. Another, hiding her face behind her handbag as she raced with Mr. Weeming to the car from the courthouse where Grandfather's famous will had been probated. And here, with the inevitable striped background, she sat at a table with Clarence.

In the dignified columns of the newspaper Grandfather used to read, there were no pictures. She read the cautious story in the apartment, a cup of bitter black brew beside her.

"Miss Beatrice Huntington Davenport, granddaughter of the late Michael Kingan Huntington and daughter of the late Arthur Armstrong Davenport and his wife, Elina Huntington, had not been passed on any liner to South America, it was reliably learned from officials of the International Line yesterday. Miss Davenport, who made her home at 1440 Park Avenue and who maintained a residence at Miami Beach and a cottage in Maine, could not be located by her guardian, Mr. Curtis Weeming, at the homes of any of her friends."

"Mr. Weeming said, 'Miss Davenport frequently leaves on trips without informing me exactly of her destination.'"

"Greta Henckel, maid at the Park Avenue apartment, told reporters that Miss Davenport had not packed for a trip. 'All her clothes and all her luggage are still here. We don't understand it. We are dreadfully worried,' said the maid."

"Miss Davenport's fiancé, Fernando de Grandezzi, notified Federal Bureau of Investigation officials.

cials of the girl's disappearance. He stated that he had long feared Miss Davenport might be the victim of a kidnapping plot."

"Hey, Bee, you up already?" came Toby's voice.

"I—I went out for the newspapers," Beatrice answered steadily. It had come, and they might as well get it over with.

**TOBY** padded out in bathrobe and slippers. She laughed when she saw the outspread papers. "You splurged! That's what I call a pal. Let's see 'em." She picked up the paper with the bathing suit picture. "Hmmm."

Beatrice held her breath. She closed her eyes. Girded herself. But Terry was calmly picking up the second tabloid.

"So this is her at her wonderful \$50,000 party? I ask you, Bee. What's she got that we haven't?"

Beatrice nearly choked. She stared dizzily at Toby's composed face. "Don't you—I mean—" She couldn't go on! Didn't Toby recognize those pictures? What was the matter with the girl?

But Toby drank herself over the table, leaning on her elbows, and began reading the news stories. She skipped about in them, murmuring. She yawned.

Beatrice couldn't believe it. She looked at the picture of herself and Clarence in the night club. It was as plain as could be! Where were Toby's eyes?

But then, scrutinizing it more carefully, she thought, "Perhaps it's not so obvious in this picture. . . ."

Toby's hair had been piled high on the top of her head, in a sleek and fashionable style. The pictured girl, in her daring evening dress, was exquisitely groomed. She had a polished perfection, like a model in a high-style advertisement. But the eyes, the nose, the very shape of the mouth—why, a blind man could spot it!

"It's me! Me!" Beatrice thought insistently. "What's the matter with her? I can't stand this suspense!"

Strangely, incredibly, Toby Masters gave no sign of seeing anything familiar in any of the pictures. Vera, when she rose ten minutes later, looked them over and gave no sign either.

"Am I mad?" Beatrice asked herself dizzily. "Or have they known all the time?" A terrible certainty gripped her.

That was it! They'd known, they'd been laughing at her. And now they were waiting, like two cats with a mouse. Waiting to see what she'd do, what she'd say.

(To Be Continued)

## Harrison in Hollywood

By PAUL HARRISON, NEA Service Correspondent

## Curses! Broadway Pest Now His Hollywood Boss

**HOLLYWOOD** — By all the rights of come-uppance and sweet revenge Burgess Meredith should be directing, instead of acting in, "Tom, Dick and Harry." The story goes back to 1932, when Meredith was on Broadway, playing the title role in "Little Ol' Boy," a grim story of reform and life. It was his first professional role, and he had an understudy as green as he was. Inexperience didn't prevent the understudy from lecturing the leading man on the fine points of the drama. He would corner Meredith and earnestly tell him just how the role should be played. Until the end of the show, he was considered a cross to bear, not to say a pest.

Eventually, both actors came to Hollywood, and it would make a swell turn-about story to tell how they met again under reverse circumstances, but there's no justice. Meredith's "Harry," and the pest who de-evilized him on Broadway again is telling him how to play his scenes. This time it's worse because he's really the director of the picture. You see, the ex-understudy's name was Gusson Kanin, and he's one of the most successful young directors in Movietown.

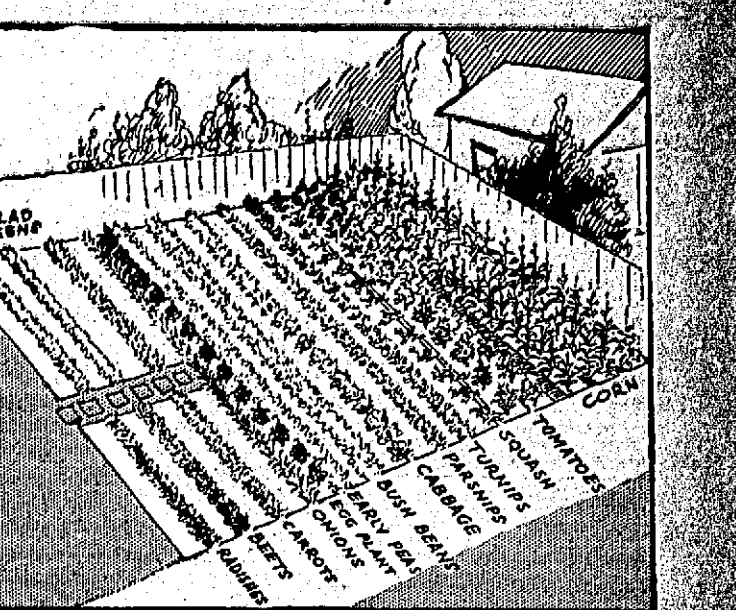
Producer Cecil B. DeMille is renting \$4500 worth of props from Cecil B. DeMille, antiques collector, for the former's sea epic "Reap the Wild Wind." The props are 38 pieces of firearms—dueling pistols, derringers, muskets, a can gun and a ship's swivel cannon—from his own "arsenal," one of the largest private collections of its kind in the world. You'd think a man could use his own possessions without charge or red tape, but DeMille's an independent producer, releasing his pictures through Paramount. The studio's complicated book-keeping system requires him to fix a rental to the props that will be charged against the picture's production cost. Being a petty good business man, Producer DeMille will drive a sharp bargain, get a low rate from Collector De Mille.

**Silly Season in a Barber Shop**

Walter Catlett also tried to buck Movietown's do-it-the-hard-way system and failed. Playing the owner of a New York night club, in "Un-finished Business," he must look dapper and spruce so he spent the better part of his lunch hour in the studio barber shop. When he reported to the set, he found that the afternoon's scenes showed him at his office desk, getting a manicure and shoeshine, so Catlett rubbed dirt on his gleaming oxfords and resigned himself to another beauty session. Unfortunately, since the script called for only his left shoe to be polished, Catlett had to pay for another complete shine before he left the studio.

**Doghouse for Blue Breakers**  
A disciplinary game that Metro ex-

## Defense Garden Programme Should Fit Family Needs



## Good Planning Will Give Balanced Diet

Maximum benefits from the Defense Garden are reaped when all work is done by the owner. The size of the most profitable garden will therefore depend upon the amount of leisure the owner has, and his inclination to do gardening work.

Unless the product of the home garden is needed for food which could not be purchased



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**Signs of a Newer 'New Europe'**  
The picture of Hitler's "New order in Europe" being at the moment just a little blurred because of Yugoslavians spots before the eyes, Greek fire, British steam, and Italian near-sight-ness, it is worth while to peer at the image of a still newer "New Europe" that is beginning to take shape.  
They are talking in "free Norway" now of a "security bloc" of nations with common interests bordering on the North Atlantic. Norwegian, Dutch, Belgian and perhaps Danish leaders now in London are beginning to talk of getting those countries together after the war, perhaps with Sweden and Finland, in political and economic

co-operation.  
At the same time, refugees from the Polish and Czechoslovakian republics are getting together and discussing their fatal failure to co-operate. They are undoubtedly remembering those October days in 1938 when as Czechoslovakia lay on the Nazi chopping block, Poland merely laughed and "busied herself in amputating the Teshchen areas for her own benefit. Remembering this, there were probably few Czech tears when Poland itself was overrun.  
But remembering all of 1938 and 1939, it is likely that representatives of both countries can now see how "divided they fell," whereas united, they might have stood. Such a Czech-Polish federation would have 50,000,000 people to start with, and might add many more if the Rumanians, Austrians, Hungarians, Bulgarians, Croats and Serbs, might be induced to co-operate.  
Such units as the North Atlantic group, and the Central European group, if some kind of political and economic federalism could be contrived, might possibly avoid the super-nationalism which wrecked the settlement after World War I.  
Is it a dream, this scheming and planning by refugees "governments in exile"? Not necessarily.  
Hitler once wrote, in "Mein Kampf," "A nation's chance of reconquering its independence is not absolutely bound up with the integrity of a state territory, but rather with the existence of a never so small remnant of this nation and state which, having the necessary freedom, has in its power to be not only the bearer of the spiritual communion of the entire nationality, but also the preparer of the military struggle for freedom."  
He may have been right. And the plans for a newer Europe to succeed the abortive "new order," which are even now being discussed by fugitive groups who meet in free lands, may yet bear more enduring fruit than the ugly orchards being planted with fire and sword.

**NOBEL PRIZE WINNER**

**HORIZONTAL**

1 Canadian who discovered diabetes cure.  
12 Soft broom.  
13 Imbecilities.  
14 North Africa (abbr.).  
16 Virginia willow.  
18 To give.  
19 Genus of cattle.  
20 Slowly.  
21 Scatters.  
22 Fewer.  
23 Idant.  
24 Southeast (abbr.).  
25 Animal.  
27 Blemish.  
29 It is (contr.).  
30 Sound of pleasure.  
32 Hauled up.  
34 Court (abbr.).  
35 Sun duty.  
36 Pine fruit (pl.).  
38 Year (abbr.).  
39 Lava.

**ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE**

1 JUDY  
2 GARDEN  
3 JUDY  
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39 JUDY

**VERTICAL**

1 Corded.  
2 To handle.  
3 Skin.  
4 Titled.  
5 nobleman.  
6 Genus of grasses.  
7 College accounts.  
8 Kite end.  
9 Yellow bird.  
10 Department.  
11 Frozen water.  
12 He received the Nobel prize for.

**8 Insects' eggs.**  
9 Golf device.  
10 Exists.  
11 Shrewd.  
12 He won a cross in France.  
13 Dr. Best  
14 him in his discovery.  
15 Preposition.  
16 To throb.  
17 Behold.  
18 To embattle.  
19 To restrict.  
20 Acidity.  
21 Barbed spear.  
22 Station.  
23 Strain.  
24 Kind of pier.  
25 Decree.  
26 Note in scale.  
27 Branches.  
28 Notch.  
29 Food.  
30 Wood apple.  
31 Card game.  
32 Lion.  
33 Dutch (abbr.).  
34 Railroad (abbr.).  
35 Scholarly.

**Who's a Louse?**  
EUGENE, Ore. (P)—The city council ordered City Attorney S. M. Calkins to draw up an ordinance which would exclude "animals, birds and insects" from the city. More specifically, it would ban "cows, horses, rabbits, bees and lice."  
During more than 14 months of fighting, five Victoria Crosses have been awarded to British flyers. During the last war, 19 Crosses were presented to airmen during four and a half years.

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THREE ROOM FURNISHED apartment, electric refrigerator. No children. Mrs. B. M. Jones, 100 East Ave. B. Phone 908-W. 5-3tp

FURNISHED 2 ROOM APARTMENT newly decorated. Private bath and garage. Available Monday. Mrs. Anna Judson, 220 North Elm. Phone 291. 5-3tc

FOUR ROOM FURNISHED APARTMENT. Garage. Dorsey McRae. 5-3tp

TWO LARGE FURNISHED ROOMS. Frigidaire, private bath and garage. One or two beds. Also a bedroom. Adjoining bath. Phone 657-W. 7-3tc

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EASTER SPECIAL—1 SHIRT laundered and 2 ties cleaned and pressed free with each suit cleaned and pressed. Cook's White Star Laundry. Phone 148. 5-lmc

**Notice**

FURNITURE BARGAINS!! NEW OR USED. If it's Furniture you need, We have it. Franklin's Furniture Co., Next door to Gibson's Drug Store. 3-lmc

HOT DOGS!!!  
12 inches long.  
10c  
Hamburges 5c  
George's Place, next door to Drakes'. 1-6tc

**Notice**

IF YOUR BATTERY IS DEAD—CALL Ted. Also expert vulcanizing. Ted's Tire and Battery Shop. Phone 50. 4-6tp

MAIL ME YOUR NEW OR RENEWAL magazine subscriptions on any publication. Charles Reynerson. 3-6tc

**Lost**

SMALL LEATHER FOLDER containing several keys on the streets of Hope sometime Saturday. Finder please return to Hope Star. 7-3tc

**For Rent**

6 ROOM HOUSE ON WEST 7TH street. Phone 851. 7-3tc

2 ROOM FURNISHED. UTILITIES paid and bedrooms with large closets. Near Business District. 108 West Division. 8-3tp

**MIND YOUR MANNERS**  
T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

1. Should a man wear a boutonniere in his right or left lapel?  
2. Is it good manners for a girl to carry on a long telephone conversation while her date waits in the living room?  
3. Is it correct to use initials rather than full names on engraved wedding invitations?  
4. Is it the duty of the bride or the groom to make arrangements with the clergyman for the wedding ceremony?  
5. Is it better for a saleswoman to say "Right this way, Madam" or "If you'll come with me, please?"  
What would you do if—  
You pass your plate to the head of the table for a second helping—  
(a) Hold your knife and fork in your hand?  
(b) Place the knife and fork across the plate, as you do at the end of a meal?

**Minnows Came From 400-Foot Well**

FUEBLO, Colo. (P)—Mack Clevenger, drilling a well on his ranch, was down 400 feet when tiny fish began to appear in the water he was bringing up. The well workers surmised the minnows came from some distant lake or stream connected with the underground water through a fault in rock strata.  
The British Bristol Blenheim has a range of 1900 miles, a top speed of 295 miles an hour, and can climb to 15,000 feet in 12 minutes.

**Answer to Cranium Cracker**

Questions on Page One

1. The Bowery is in New York City.  
2. New Orleans is well known for its French Quarter.  
3. San Francisco is famous for its Chinatown.  
4. The Loop is Chicago's business district.  
5. Trafalgar Square is in London.

**OUR BOARDING HOUSE** with . . Major Hoople

LET'S GET ANOTHER PUPIL, LEANDER—THIS ONE IS KNOCKED GROGGY!

NOW YOU COME IN SWINGIN', PINKY, AN' I'LL TEACH YOU JIM CORBETT'S LEFT!

OH, YEAH? IF I SLUG YOU'LL GET SORE AGAIN, AN' I ONLY GOT TWO TEETH LEFT NOW!

GO ON, PINKY, SHOW THAT APE WE'RE NOT AFRAID OF HIM!

FREE BOXING LESSONS KID CONCRETE ALIAS LEANDER

BURKE'S SWEATER

THE SCHOOL OF HARD KNOCKS

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**BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES** Already

HEY PUG! HAVE YOU SEEN JEFF?

NOW!

MEN! MEN! THAT'S ALL YA EVER THINK OF! HAVE YA SEEN UNCLE BILL?

NO!

WHY, THERE'S YOUNG JEFF—AND THE PHLOPP GIRL!

HMM! RATHER ODD, I'D SAY, UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES IT GUESSES I WON'T SAY ANYTHING ABOUT THIS...

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**ALLEY OOP** Anyway, They Have Company

MY STARS, IT'S SO DARK I CAN'T SEE ANYTHING!

LISTEN! SOUNDS LIKE SURF, AND THE AIR SMELLS SALTY... WE MUST BE ON A BEACH

YEH, BOG... IT'S SALT WATER—AND WARM

HMM... TROPICAL! WELL, WE MIGHT AS WELL TAKE IT EASY UNTIL DAWN

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**WASH TUBBS** Some Job

OKAY, I'LL EXPLAIN WHAT THIS IS ALL ABOUT. SENOR CASTRO IS THE FOREIGN MINISTER OF BRAZENTINA. HE'S ON HIS WAY TO WASHINGTON FOR A DISCUSSION OF HEMISPHERE DEFENSE

BIG THINGS ARE EXPECTED. HOWEVER, FOREIGN AGENTS HAVE GOTTEN WIND OF IT AND WILL DO EVERYTHING IN THEIR POWER TO WRECK THE CONFERENCE

FRANKLY, EASY, YOUR JOB IS TO DOUBT FOR A MAN WHO IS SCHEDULED TO BE ASSASSINATED!

HEAVENS!

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**By V. T. Hamlin**

WELL, IT COULD BE THE WEST COAST OF FLORIDA... OR ANY ONE OF TEN THOUSAND PLACES!

HAVE YOU ANY IDEA WHERE WE CAN BE, DOCTOR?

BUT IT'S VERY POSSIBLE WE'RE BACK SOMEWHERE. A SHOEPRINT TRACKED THOSE THINGS ANYWHERE. OSCAR BOOM!

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**By Roy Crane**

ME HURT? WHY, NO--WHUT MADE YOU THINK THAT? I'M PRACTICING ROPIN' COWS!

OH! A SLIGHT MISTAKE ON MY PART! I THOUGHT YOU HAD A BANDAGE ON YOUR FINGER

THE FLOWING TIE

J.R. WILLIAMS

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**FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS** Ask Mom—She Knows

THAT LAST ONE CIRCLED ME!

GIVE US A LITTLE JIVE! THAT ONE MADE ME FEEL LIKE THE WALKING DEAD! NO MORE TURTLE SOUP--PUL-EASE!

TURTLE SOUP? OH, THAT'S A WALTZ, MR. MCGOOSY! DIDN'T YOU KNOW?

I'M AFRAID I DIDN'T! IN MY INNOCENT WAY, I ALWAYS CALLED THEM WALTZES!

I DON'T HEAR YOU SPEAKING THAT STRANGE LANGUAGE, HILDA. IT'S NICE TO KNOW THERE'S ONE SENSIBLE PERSON PRESENT!

OH, MR. MC—GOOSEY, YOU'RE JUST POURING ON THE ROSES!

HILDA, MEANT YOU WERE FLATTERING HER, HENRY!

???

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**By Fred Harman**

WHAT YOU WANT ME TO DO WHILE YOU RIDE GOLD SEAGE, RED RYDER?

FOLLOW TH' BOY WITH TH' HORSE LITTLE BEAVER!

AN ME KEEPUM OUTA SIGHT, YOU BETCHUM!

BUT OFF THE MAVERICK TRAIL, A HIDDEN FIGURE SILENTLY DRAWS A BEAD ON RED.

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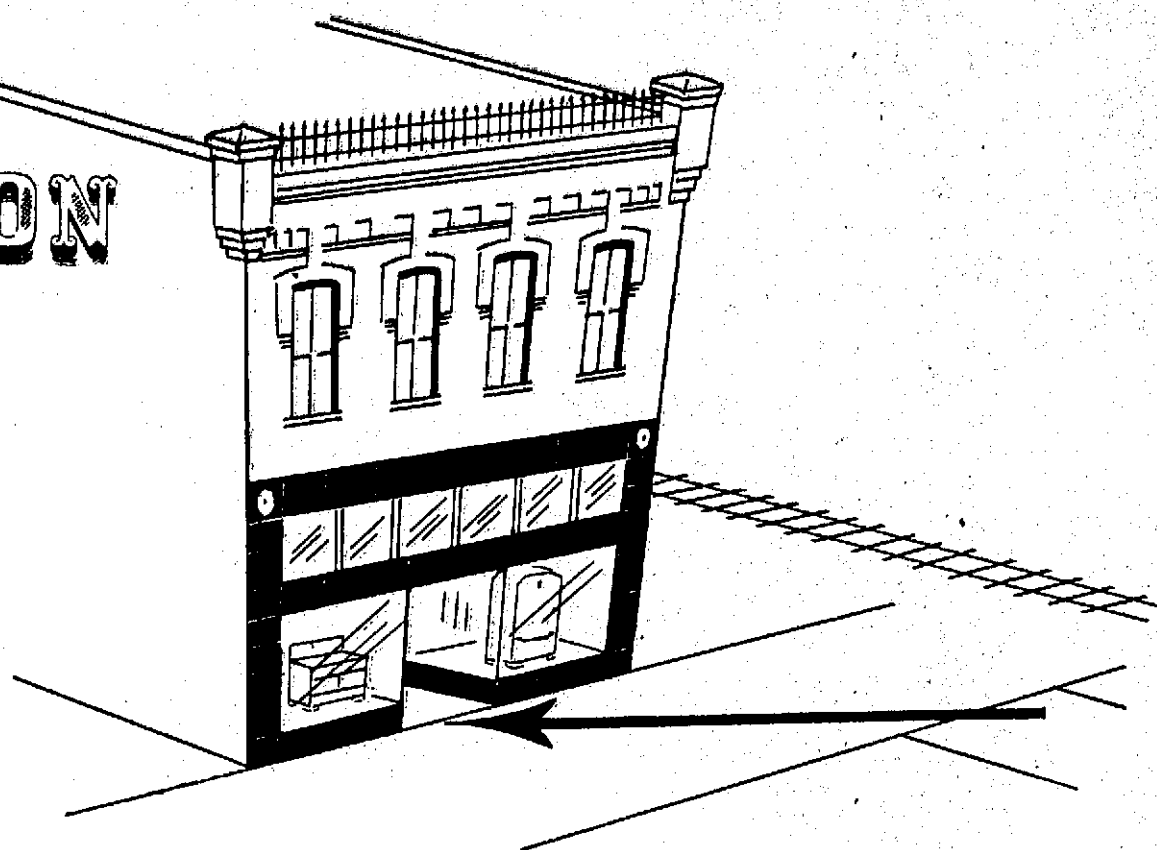
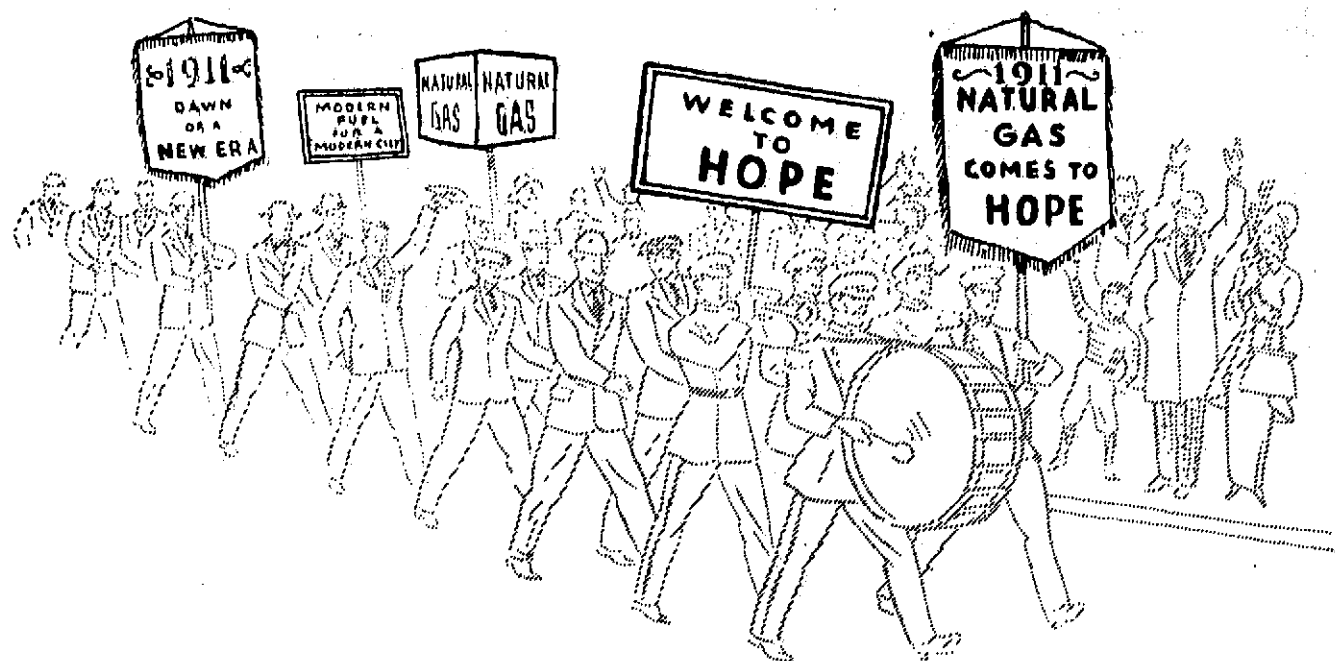
**By Merrill Blosser**

WHOA, THUNDER TAKE COVER, LITTLE BEAVER!

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# AN OLD CITIZEN OF HOPE MOVES TO A NEW LOCATION



Although we accept the convenience and economies of natural gas as a matter of course, many years of usage have made gas service no less valuable nor less essential to us. It is an important event when natural gas is brought into any community and it was a big day in the summer of 1911 when gas was first turned on in Hope. It is not surprising that on that memorable day 30 years ago, its citizens declared a holiday, staged a parade, and celebrated with much fanfare the coming of this new and modern fuel.

Thus your gas company is one of Hope's oldest citizens. Its employees are active in local affairs and are vitally concerned with the welfare of the community. As evidence of our faith in the future growth and development of Hope, we have moved to larger quarters to further extend our service and convenience to our friends and customers. Wednesday we are holding the formal opening of our new office at 112 S. Elm Street, diagonally across the street from our former location.

## You are cordially invited to attend the formal opening of the new office of **ARKANSAS LOUISIANA GAS CO.**

Useful free gift to every Hope housewife who visits our new office Wednesday; continuous motion picture showings.

**Wednesday, April 9th**  
**1:00 P. M. to 10:00 P. M.**  
**112 S. Elm Street... Hope, Arkansas**

All the newest models of gas-fired appliances on display —  
Refrigerators — Water Heaters  
— Ranges — Room Heaters.

In the "good old days" before natural gas there was wood to chop and carry . . . ashes to dispose of . . . dirt to clean up . . . lots of extra house work . . . and you paid for your fuel before you used it. Gas for refrigeration was not dreamed of — water heating was by the teakettleful. Today, because of natural gas, you are enjoying more leisure, more luxury, more real comfort, and more joyous living than was thought possible 30 years ago. Can you think of any other service that brings you so much comfort and convenience for so little cost?

Anticipating your fuel needs is one of your gas company's chief problems. As the progressive community of Hope has grown and developed during the years, so have your gas company's facilities and ability to serve been expanded and enlarged until today Hope has one of the most efficient gas systems in the country.

Hundreds of producing wells in 15 different fields are connected to this system, which assures Hope of a

dependable supply of natural gas for years to come. Hope is connected to a pipe line system of more than 1500 miles in length and gas is brought to the city from three different sources and directions. This means three-fold protection against gas failure in this community; triple assurance that you will not be without gas, regardless of weather conditions.

Perhaps you know but few persons connected with the gas company but it should be comforting to realize that behind these few is a vast organization of hundreds of trained men and women, enormous quantities of material and equipment and huge investments all dedicated to providing you with dependable natural gas service at one of the lowest rates in the entire country.

Yes, this business of supplying natural gas to a community is more than a one man job — or a one community job. It is a highly specialized business requiring the resources of an organization big enough to do a big job.

**ARKANSAS LOUISIANA GAS CO., Natural Gas Service — Gas Appliances, W. B. STEFFEY, Local Manager**



# Arkansas Louisiana Gas Co. to Hold Open House

## Motion Picture and Souvenirs for Everybody

Company in New Offices and Display Rooms at 112 South Elm

An Open House for all gas consumers will be held in the new offices of the Arkansas Louisiana Gas Company, 112 South Elm street, from 10 p. m. to 10 p. m. this Wednesday. The public is invited to inspect the new show-rooms and business quarters of the local utility, and there will be souvenirs and gifts for everyone, according to W. B. Steffey, local manager.

On display during the Open House program will be the newest model gas fired appliances with factory representatives present to explain new features. There will be gas refrigerators, water-heaters, ranges and room-heaters.

Every gas consumer registering for the Open House will be given free a Wolf toaster as a souvenir. Special representatives of gas stove manufacturers will attend and will answer any question pertaining to these appliances.

A moving picture of the gas industry, "The Fires Must Never Go Out," will be shown in the afternoon and at night during the Open House. The film has been acclaimed everywhere as having real educational value and human interest.

### A Comparison

Daughter: "Did you ever hear anything so wonderful?" (as the radio ground out the latest in swing).

Father: "Can't say I have, although I once heard a collision between a truckload of empty milk cans and a car filled with ducks."

## Trees Compressor Station at Emmet Is Manned by 14 Long-Time Employees



The force at Arkansas Louisiana Gas company's Trees compressor station. From left to right they are S. M. Pankey, superintendent; Donald McMillan, F. M. Meyer, W. M. Thompson, H. L. Daly, Sam Webb, Jack Pankey, Roy Milford, O. L. DeHann, T. A. Grunden, Sam Townsend, A. E. Magness and H. B. Thomas. Fred Moore was unable to be present to get in the picture.

Throbbing with life and energy, just a few miles northeast of Hope, is the Trees compressor station, one of the 10 operated by Arkansas Louisiana Gas company to increase the line pressure where needed along the company's system and to speed up the flow of gas to its given destination.

Trees compressor station, and the nine others owned and operated by the gas company, assures the citizens of Hope of a continuous and adequate flow of natural gas under any conditions. They have a total of 28,850 horsepower and auxiliaries of 1,885 additional horsepower.

Trees station, built in 1926, is one of the largest owned by Arkansas Louisiana Gas company and employs 14 men, whose average length of service with the company is 15 years. These men, and their families, are well known to many citizens of Hope, and they contribute to the community's business, civic, social and religious life.

Superintendent of Trees station is Sam M. Pankey, who moved in with the station when it was constructed. He has been with Arkansas Louisiana Gas company 28 years. Next in point of service is H. L. Dailey, whose 27 years' service almost equals the record of Mr. Pankey. A. E. Magness has been employed by the company 24 years.

Other members of the Trees force, and their length of service with the gas company follow:

Sam Webb, 22 years; H. B. Thomas, 18; W. B. Thompson, 15; Roy Milford, 12; T. A. Grunden, 12; Donald McMillan, 11; F. M. Meyer, 11; Jack Pankey, 11; T. J. Moore, 11; Sam Townsend, 6; Odie Dehan, 4.

## The Scoreboard

Stanford's Success Returns Coaches to T. Cardinals Were Only Starting Last Season; May Excel Record of Vowing Sophomores

By HARRY GRAYSON  
NEA Service Sports Editor

Stanford's phenomenal success with the T last fall has coaches all over the country working on embellishments of that antiquated formation.

And spring practice on the farm is reminding that the Cardinals were only starting when they came from nowhere to close a perfect campaign in a post-season burst of glory in Pasadena.

Clark Shaughnessy lost only three first stringers—Norm Standlee and Hugh Gallarneau, outstanding backs,

## Here Is Office Force of Arkansas Louisiana Gas Co.



and Stan Graff, left end. No less than 19 regulars are back, and if weak spots develop they will be bolstered by youngsters from fresh men who were unbeaten and untied in a half dozen contests.

Six starting linemen of last autumn return—Fred Meyer, pass-snagging end; Bruno Banducci and Ed Stamm, tackles; Dick Palmer and Chuck Taylor, guards, and Vic Lindsag, center. Other forwards who earned the big initial are Bob Ditlevsen and Arnold Meiners, ends; Ed McCain, Claude Furitt and Jack Warnecke, tackles; Ken Robesky and Jack Francis, guards and Doug Stahl, center.

Still in harness are the magical quarterback and left-handed passer, Frankie Albert, and his understudy, Ray Hammelt; Pete Kmetovic, a runner from Runnersville; Al Cole and Ernie Armstrong, halfbacks, and Milt Vucinich and Bob Crane, fullbacks. Vucinich filled in well when Chief Standlee was injured last season.

Buck Fawcett, fresh fullback of '40, is so formidable Shaughnessy already is considering him as the redoubtable Gallarneau's replacement at right half.

Among other yearlings expected to make strong bids for varsity berths are Jimmy Ellis, end; Jimmy Cox and Jenn Lamour, tackles; Bill Joslyn and Kelly Ross, guards; Loren LaFrade, center; Frank Forbes, quarter; Bob Koch and Bob Mitchell, halfbacks, and Johnny Kenward, full.

The vowing sophomores of '33—Bob Grayson, Bones Hamilton, Monk Mescrip, Keith Topping and that bunch—put the red Indians in the Rose Bowl three years in a row. Stanford has the material . . . and coaching . . . to outdo that record.

### Trouble!

OSAGE CITY, Kas. —(P)—First Ernest V. Johnson had to have his appendix removed. Then 11 of the 13 Johnson children had the measles. And then the Johnson house caught fire.

### True to Name

Customer: "Have you mutton and venison today?"  
Butcher: "We have both, which do you prefer?"  
Customer: "Is your mutton deer?"  
Butcher: "No, the mutton is sheep, the venison is deer."

**BUY!**  
Through the  
**WANT ADS**

## Brighten the Easter Dinner

### Strawberries Belong to the Holiday Menu

By MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX  
NEA Service Staff Writer

Fresh strawberries belong in the Easter menu. Served with cream and powdered sugar they are perfect. Or else cut in half and piled in tall glasses with a tablespoon of diced preserved figs and syrup, topped with lightly whipped cream, they are certainly de luxe.

### Fresh Strawberry Sherbet (Serves 4 to 6)

One and one-half cups water, 1 teaspoon gelatin, 3-4 cup sugar, 1 cup mashed strawberries, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 1 egg white.

Soften the gelatin in a little of the cold water and boil the rest with the sugar for five minutes. Dissolve the gelatin in the hot syrup and cool. Add the strawberries, very thoroughly mashed or rubbed through a sieve, and the lemon juice. If the strawberries are very sour more sugar may be needed. Add the unbeaten egg white. Turn into an ice-cream freezer, pack in ice and salt, and freeze.

### Chocolate Butterscotch Cake

Cake: ½ cup butter, 1 cup sugar, 2 eggs, separated, 2 squares cooking chocolate, melted, 1 teaspoon soda, dissolved in ½ cup sour milk, 1 cup pastry flour, ¼ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon vanilla.

Cream sugar and butter. Add egg yolks and beat until light. Then add chocolate, soda dissolved in sour milk, and dry ingredients. Beat egg whites stiff and fold into cake mixture. Add vanilla. Spread batter in 4-layer cake pans. Bake in a moderately hot oven (300 degrees F.).

Butterscotch filling: 2-3 cup milk, 2-3 cup butterscotch sauce, pinch of salt, 1 egg yolk, 3 tablespoons cornstarch, dissolved in 3 tablespoons milk.

Scald milk and butterscotch together in a double boiler. Stir in the dissolved cornstarch and cook thoroughly. Remove from the fire. Add salt and beaten egg yolk. Spread.

Butterscotch frosting: 1 cup brown sugar, pinch of salt, ¼ cup egg whites, ¼ cup water, pinch of cream of tartar.

Boil brown sugar, water and cream of tartar to 245 degrees F. and add slowly to the egg whites beaten stiff with a pinch of salt. Beat until thick. Spread over cool cake.

"I would like to meet you again," he murmured as they glided through the waltz. "What about letting me have your telephone number?"

"It's in the book," she told him. "Good! What's your name?"

"You'll find that in the book, too."

"Darling, the crust doesn't half cover the pie!"

"But, precious, I asked your mother and she said you liked your pie crusts very short."

### Huge Table

In the 13th century, knights were entertained at the king's expense at a table 200 feet in diameter, erected in Windsor Castle, England.

## Gas Manager Is Utility Veteran

### W. B. Steffey Started in Gas Business in 1905

W. B. Steffey, local manager at Hope for Arkansas Louisiana Gas company, is a man widely known and universally admired for his qualities as a citizen. He was district superintendent of the company's Pine Bluff district for 16 years before he was made manager here two years ago.

Mr. Steffey was born Sept. 12, 1888, and was reared and educated at Jeannette, Penn. He started work with the Peoples Gas company, in western Pennsylvania, in 1905, and served in the distribution, oil and gas production divisions. In 1918, he was transferred to the Sun Oil company at Dallas, Texas, and worked several years as drilling superintendent in the Burkburnett fields.



W. B. Steffey

Mr. Steffey left the Sun company for independent operations in Grimes county, Texas, but soon after, in 1923, became connected with Arkansas Natural Gas company as district superintendent at Pine Bluff.

Mr. Steffey is a member of various Masonic bodies and the Shrine, and has served in many official capacities in the lodge. He has three sons, W. H. manager for Arkansas Louisiana Gas company at Atlanta, Texas; Wallace, a student at Magnolia A. and M. college and assistant pastor of the Magnolia Methodist church; and Paul who will graduate from the Hope high school in May.

Mr. Steffey, active in the Hope Rotary club, is well qualified by training and experience for the position he holds, and he has many friends in Hope and throughout Arkansas.

An old darky approached the minister. "Pahson, suh," he said, "Ah wants yo' all to pray for me."

"All right, Rastus. What's wrong?"

"Suh, Ah's got a floatin' kidney, suh."

"But Rastus," replied the minister, "I can't pray for physical things like that. I only pray for spiritual things."

"Yo' all can't pray for a floatin' kidney?" Den, how come you prayed last Sunday for the loon-ivahs?"

Kites still are flown by the U. S. weather bureau to find out about conditions aloft.

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